

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

Friday, May 28, 1943

The Senate convened at 11:00 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment on Thursday, May 27, 1943.

The President in the Chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Clett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of Thursday, May 27, 1943, was corrected and as corrected was approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Your Committee on Welfare, to whom was referred:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 18:

A Concurrent Resolution for appointment Joint Committee investigate State Welfare Board: appropriating the necessary expense thereof.

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same does not pass.

Very respectfully,

J. EDWIN BAKER,

Chairman of Committee.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 18, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Legislative Expenditures under the joint reference.

Your Committee on Judiciary "C," to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 401:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 17363, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935 Legislature entitled: "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 10118, Acts of 1925, being, 'An Act granting, confirming and vesting, and regulating the exercise of, the right of eminent domain in the condemnation of lands and property for State Road purposes; confirming, vesting in and granting unto the State Road Department the power of eminent domain to condemn all necessary lands and property for securing rights-of-way for State Roads and Bridges in connection therewith and for acquiring any material and property necessary and useful for State Road building purposes; declaring the State Road Department to be a body corporate, for the purpose of this Act; granting unto the several counties of this State power and authority to furnish to the State Road Department lands necessary for rights-of-way for State Road purposes, and the power of eminent domain to condemn said lands; regulating, defining and setting out the procedure to be followed in condemning lands and other property for State Road purposes and granting authority to proceed with State Road or Bridge construction pending condemnation under certain circumstances.'" being Section 341.22 of Florida Statutes, 1941, by vesting the right of eminent domain in the several counties of Florida to condemn lands for borrow pits, drainage ditches, and any other material and property necessary and useful for road building purposes or incident and necessary for road rights-of-way.

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same pass.

Very respectfully,

J. GRAHAM BLACK,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 401, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments) after Third Reading:

Senate Bill No. 358:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 205.63, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to license taxes to be imposed upon coin operated machines operated for amusement, and coin operated vending machines.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very respectfully,

K. GRINER,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 358, contained in the above report, was certified to the House of Representatives.

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 361:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of T. N. Henderson on account of personal injury and damages to personal property sustained by him through negligent operation on the highway of a motor vehicle belonging to the State Road Department of Florida.

Senate Bill No. 522:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and permitting the Board of County Commissioners in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of 250,000 or more according to the last official Federal census, to establish, maintain and operate a camp and school for homeless, wayward or indigent boys; to acquire by purchase, lease, gift, devise or bequest real or personal property therefor; to expend general County Funds up to but not to exceed the sum of \$25,000 per annum for next biennium for the aforesaid purposes and to do all and any other things necessary to carry out and effect the purposes of this Act.

Senate Bill No. 531:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that William B. Fernandez, a member of the Fire Department of the City of Tampa, shall be permitted to participate in the City Pension Fund for Firemen and Policemen in the City of Tampa, and in all benefits thereof, although he was over thirty-one years of age at the time of his appointment to said Fire Department; and allowing him a certain length of time to file with the City of Tampa his legal election to participate in said City Pension Fund, and in all benefits thereof, and to pay into said City Pension Fund a certain portion of his salary or wages since the time of his appointment to said Fire Department.

Senate Bill No. 534:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the eligibility of Luther E. Busbee to participate as a member of the Police Department of the City of Tampa, Florida, in all of the benefits of the City Pension Fund for Firemen and Policemen in the City of Tampa, created by Chapter 21590 of the Special Acts of 1941, or any other Act; requiring the Board of Trustees administering said fund to list the name of Luther E. Busbee among the names of those eligible to participate in said benefits; requiring the City of Tampa to enter into a contract with the said Luther E. Busbee in the same manner as other members of said department who are eligible to participate in said benefits; and to repeal any and all laws in conflict herewith.

Senate Bill No. 578:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners of counties in the State of Florida, having a population of not less than 5,500, and not more than 5,700 population, according to the 1940 Federal census,

to levy an ad valorem tax for the purpose of purchasing road construction and maintenance equipment and fixing the maximum amount of such millage.

Senate Bill No. 606:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the City of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida, to grant and pay a pension to Mrs. Grace B. Howard; providing for a referendum election; and for other purposes.

Senate Bill No. 609:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for a refund to the Riviera Club, a corporation not-for-profit, in Volusia County, Florida, of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars, covering the overpayment of a certain Beverage License Tax heretofore paid by mistake.

Senate Bill No. 610:

A bill to be entitled An Act permitting any person to take mullet throughout the year from the salt waters of St. Johns County, Florida, by use of a common cast net and making it lawful to have in his possession such mullet if taken by the use of such common cast net.

Senate Bill No. 611:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of F. E. Wilson, on account of personal injuries received by him while an employee of St. Johns County, a political sub-division of the State of Florida, and engaged in the performance and discharge of his duties as such, by authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County to continue to employ F. E. Wilson so long as he is able to perform his duties as a county employee, in the opinion of the County Physician, and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners to pay a pension not in excess of the salary of F. E. Wilson at the time of his injuries, in the event he should be unable, in the opinion of the County Physician, to continue to perform his duties because of such injuries.

Hereby reports that the above bills have been correctly enrolled and are presented herewith for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully

S. A. HINELY,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The Bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session, and ordered to be transmitted to the House for the signature of the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 367:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect the health, safety and welfare of the people of the State of Florida; defining terms used in this Act; prescribing regulations for the practice of massage and the conduct of massage establishments; providing for the creation of a Board of Masseurs and defining the powers and duties of such Board; providing for the inspection of all massage establishments and schools and requiring the registration of all who practice or teach massage; appropriating the proceeds thereof to accomplish the purposes of this Act; and providing penalties for the violation of any provisions of this Act.

Senate Bill No. 613:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of George F. Clark, on account of personal injuries received by him while an employee of St. Johns County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, and engaged in the performance and discharge of his duties as such, by authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County to continue to employ George F. Clark so long as he is able to perform his duties as a county employee, in the opinion of the County Physician, and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners to pay a pension not in excess of the salary of George F. Clark at the time of his injuries, in the event he should be unable, in the opinion of the County Physician, to continue to perform his duties because of such injuries.

Senate Bill No. 618:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 26.30 of Florida Statutes, 1941, said Section prescribing the terms of the Circuit Court of the Ninth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida.

Hereby reports that the above bills have been correctly Enrolled and are presented herewith for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

S. A. HINELY,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The Bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session, and ordered to be transmitted to the House for the signature of the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 252:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the sale, offering for sale and transportation of agricultural and vegetable seed and providing for inspection and testing thereof; to prevent misrepresentation and fraud in the advertisement and sale thereof; providing for the enforcement hereof and repealing Chapter 20251, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, and all laws in conflict herewith.

House Bill No. 311:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the designation and marking of certain trees; providing that title to said trees shall not pass by conveyance or transfer of the real estate on which same are located; requiring the owner to expressly exclude said trees from any deed or conveyance of the real estate on which same are located; providing a penalty for cutting or destroying a seed tree. Defining the duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture of Florida and the Florida Board of Forestry, and Parks in connection therewith.

House Bill No. 678:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for cancellation of all unpaid State and county taxes and all outstanding State or county owned tax certificates on certain real estate in the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida, owned by said city and dedicated to public use.

House Bill No. 747:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating the office of Motor Vehicle Tag Agent in all counties of this State having a population of not less than 14,240 nor more than 14,260, according to the last preceding State or Federal census, and providing for the appointment, powers, duties, and compensation of such agent.

House Bill No. 783:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining the nets which may be used in taking mullet in the counties of the State of Florida bordering on the Gulf of Mexico and having a population of not less than thirteen thousand and not more than fourteen thousand according to the last preceding Federal Census.

House Bill No. 793:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and establish a certain State Road and Highway in Volusia County, Florida, declaring the same to be a part of the System of State Highways and providing for the survey, location and numbering thereof by the State Road Department of Florida.

House Bill No. 796:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 6, 10 and 11 of Chapter 9692, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, entitled "An Act to incorporate the City of Bradenton, in Manatee County, Florida, and to provide for its government and prescribe its jurisdiction and powers and to abolish the present corporation of the City of Bradenton, in Manatee County, Florida."

House Bill No. 798:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of the members of the Board of County Commissioners of St

Lucie County, Florida, at nine hundred dollars per year, each, payable in twelve equal payments out of and from the General Fund of said county, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

House Bill No. 799:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the exemption from all taxation against the property known as the United Service Organization Property, in Fort Pierce, St. Lucie County, Florida, more particularly described as Lot I and east 20 feet of Lot 2 of M. A. Tyler's Re-subdivision as per Plat Book I, page 169, of the Public Records of St. Lucie County, Florida, and the Mary Ann Sub-division, as per said Public Records for the duration of the present National Emergency or so long as said properties are used by the Government of the United States of America, the United Service Organization or similar use or organization, whichever period of time is shorter.

House Bill No. 809:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing a cumulative remedy for the enforcement and collection of taxes due the City of Fort Meade, Florida, for prior, current and future years, and proceeding substantially in the same manner in the collection of taxes and sale of lands for non-payment of taxes as do County Collectors under the State Law and subject to the same penalties as are prescribed by the Laws of Florida for any violation of the duties imposed under this Act; and providing for the validity of the tax deeds issued thereunder, and that said tax deeds may be foreclosed in courts of equity.

House Bill No. 825:

A bill to be entitled An Act re-designating and re-establishing State Road 175 in Wakulla County.

House Bill No. 842:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for and authorizing the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Orange County, Florida, to turn over and pay to the legal representatives of the estate of B. M. Robinson, former Clerk of the Circuit Court of Orange County, Florida, certain moneys in the sum of \$1647.03, proceeds of claims against the insolvent the State Bank of Orlando & Trust Co.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

S. A. HINELY,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 365:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 440.44 Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Chapter 20299, Acts of 1941, creating the Florida Industrial Commission; providing for the establishment of the Merit System principle of Personnel Administration in the Workmen's Compensation Division of the Florida Industrial Commission; authorizing said Commission to adopt and promulgate such rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry said Merit System into effect; providing for the appointment and fixing the salary of a Director for this Division of the Commission.

House Bill No. 932:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the Federation of Pan-American Clubs, Patriotic, Social, Benevolent, Fraternal, and Non-Profit Corporation, on account of taxes improperly and illegally collected from it by the City of Tampa, Florida, on real property owned and occupied by said Federation in Hillsborough County, Florida, and on account of City of Tampa, Florida, taxes for 1943 assessed and/or levied or to be assessed and/or levied against, and constituting or to constitute liens on real property situated in Hillsborough County, Florida, owned and occupied by said Federation, and directing the Tax Assessor of the City of Tampa, Florida, to exempt from taxation all property owned, occupied and used, at present or in the future, by said Federation in Hillsborough County, Florida.

House Bill No. 933:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the Federation

of Pan-American Clubs, Patriotic, Social, Benevolent, Fraternal and Non-Profit Corporation, on account of 1943 State and County taxes assessed and/or levied or to be assessed and/or levied against, and Constituting or to constitute liens on, real property owned and occupied by said Federation situated in Hillsborough County, and directing the Tax Assessor of Hillsborough County to exempt from taxation all property owned, occupied and used, at present or in the future, by said Federation in Hillsborough County, Florida.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

S. A. HINELY,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 33:

A bill to be entitled An Act to cancel and discharge tax sale certificates Nos. 243, 244, 245 and 1344, sales of 1938, and tax liens for State and County taxes now outstanding and unpaid through the year 1940, the said tax sales certificates covering certain property described therein located in Sections 37, 38, 39, 40 and 41, in Township 2 South, Range 30 West, in Escambia County, Florida.

Senate Bill No. 83:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing, empowering and directing the State of Florida, through the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund, to convey to any municipality, county or Board of Public Instruction of the State of Florida, for public purposes, without consideration and without sale, any lands the title to which vested in the State of Florida pursuant to Chapter 18296, Laws of Florida, Acts 1937 Legislature; providing that request for such conveyance shall be evidenced by certified copy of Resolution of Board of County Commissioners or County Board of Public Instruction, as the case may be, setting forth the public purpose to which said lands shall be devoted.

Senate Bill No. 91:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the relief of the Palmer National Bank and Trust Company of Sarasota, Florida, by providing for the reimbursement to it of payments made by said bank to the Tax Collector of Sarasota County, Florida, under assessments levied for the years 1930 to 1940, both inclusive, upon the tangible personal property of said bank.

Senate Bill No. 214:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Governor of the State of Florida, upon the request of the Board of County Commissioners of any county in the State of Florida with the population in excess of 50,000, to appoint and detail to service in such county one additional Assistant State Auditor for the purpose of continuously examining and auditing the offices, records and accounts of all the county officials, boards and other public institutions of said county, except municipalities; the county in such cases paying the compensation of such additional Assistant State Auditor so appointed and detailed, and authorizing the State Auditor to employ additional Assistant State Auditors so appointed.

Senate Bill No. 360:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation and mileage of County Commissioners in counties having a population of not less than 74,000 and not more than 80,000 by the last preceding Federal census.

Senate Bill No. 412:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 20061, Laws of Florida, entitled: An Act providing a pension system for certain officers and employees of the City of Pensacola, Florida; creating a Pension Board of said city; providing pensions for retired and disabled officers and employees of said city; creating a Retirement Fund and making provision for contributions into same by officers and employees of said city and for payments to pensioners from same; providing for the investment of funds held in such Retirement Fund; providing that the provisions of this Act shall not affect present pensioners; and repealing all laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act.

Senate Bill No. 494:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the final date for qualifi-

cation of candidates for the Legislature of the State of Florida in counties having a population of not less than 31,000 and not more than 31,300, according to the last Federal census.

Senate Bill No. 510:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road.

Senate Bill No. 558:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 32 of Chapter 21,368, Acts of 1941, relating to the removal of the City Manager of the City of Marianna.

Senate Bill No. 561:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of members of the Boards of County Commissioners in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than thirty-four thousand and not more than thirty-five thousand according to the last preceding Federal census, and designating the fund out of which such compensation shall be paid.

Senate Bill No. 579:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 15467—(No. 829) of the Special Acts of the Legislature of Florida, Regular Session of 1931, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal corporation of the City of Lake Jovita, Pasco County, Florida, and to create and establish a new municipal corporation in said county to be known as the City of San Antonio, Florida; fixing the boundaries and prescribing the powers and jurisdiction thereof and providing that said city hereby created shall operate under the General Laws of the State of Florida as its charter, except as herein otherwise mentioned; providing that the property, uncollected taxes, dues and other assets of the municipality hereby abolished shall pass to and be vested in the municipal corporation hereby created and established; that the ordinances of the former municipality shall be and remain the ordinances of the new municipality until amended or repealed; and that the contracts and obligations of the former municipality shall be and remain obligations of the municipality hereby established," by making the offices of Clerk, Tax Collector, Tax Assessor and Marshal appointive instead of elective, and by empowering the Tax Assessor to fix valuations of property for city assessment purposes independent and regardless of the valuation of the same property for assessment purposes fixed by the County Tax Assessor; and providing for a referendum.

Senate Bill No. 582:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Winter Haven, Florida, to provide by ordinance for the enforcement of collection of its ad valorem taxes on personal property in manner similar to that provided by law for the enforcement of collection of county ad valorem taxes on personal property.

Senate Bill No. 584:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the eligibility of Manuel Onis to participate as a member of the Fire Department of the City of Tampa, Florida, in all of the benefits of the City Pension Fund for firemen and policemen in the City of Tampa, created by Chapter 21590 of the Special Acts of 1941, or any other Act; requiring the Board of Trustees administering said fund to list the name of Manuel Onis among the names of those eligible to participate in said benefits; requiring the City of Tampa to enter into a contract with the said Manuel Onis in the same manner as other members of said department who are eligible to participate in said benefits; and to repeal any and all laws in conflict herewith.

Senate Bill No. 589:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 17693, Special Acts of the Legislature, of Florida, 1935, the same being entitled, "An Act to provide for the examination and selection of persons employed by the City of Wauchula in the operation of its Light, Water and Fire Departments; to confirm the qualifications of all persons now employed in said department; to provide a commission for the purpose of securing applications and conducting an examination of applicants for employment in said departments, and providing for the discharge of employees in said departments for cause only, and for a method of preferring charges and conducting hearings thereon." Creating the Office of Chief of Fire Department of the City of Wauchula; providing for the election of Chief of the Fire Department of the City of Wauchula by the qualified electors of said city and prescribing the

powers and duties of said Chief of Fire Department, and providing for the salary to be paid such officer.

Senate Bill No. 590:

A bill to be entitled An Act approving, confirming and validating all adjustments, compromises, discounts, reductions, abatements, waivers, releases, discharges or refunds of taxes and delinquent tax certificates on real and personal property, and assessments and improvement liens, including interest, costs and penalties thereon, levied and assessed upon property in the Town of Umatilla, Florida, heretofore effected, made and allowed by the Town Council of the Town of Umatilla, Florida, and/or by the officers and governing authorities of said town, in the collection of said taxes, tax certificates, assessments and improvement liens, providing for the effective date of such law and for the repeal of all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith.

Senate Bill No. 597:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the members of the Board of County Commissioners and members of the Board of Public Instruction of Hamilton County, Florida, to receive a compensation of \$40.00 per month and in addition thereto to receive the sum of \$40.00 per year for their travel expense.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

S. A. HINELY,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Senator Shuler moved that a committee be appointed to escort Honorable George Earl Hoffman, United States District Attorney for the Northern District of Florida, to a set on the rostrum.

Which was agreed to.

The President appointed Senators Shuler, Upchurch and McKenzie as the committee.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Shands—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE ADJOURNMENT OF THE PRESENT REGULAR SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE SINE DIE.

WHEREAS, the present Session of the Legislature expires by Constitutional limitation on Friday, June 4, 1943, and it is necessary that fixed hour be appointed by the Senate and the House of Representatives for the adjournment of said Session of the Legislature sine die; Therefore;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING:

That the 1943 regular Session of the Florida Legislature shall be adjourned sine die at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday, June 2 1943.

Which was read the first time in full.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 be read the second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was read the second time in full.

The question was put on the adoption of the Concurrent Resolution

Which was not agreed to, so Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 failed of adoption.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Sheldon—

Senate Bill No. 689:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for a single salary schedule based solely upon educational training and number of years experience for all teachers and for all principals based on educational training, number of years experience, and the number of teachers in their school unit in the Public School in all counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than one hundred thousand (100,000)

nor more than two hundred thousand (200,000) according to the last preceding Federal census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 689 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 689 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 689 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 689 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 689 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 689 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Sheldon—

Senate Bill No. 690:

A bill to be entitled An Act declaring it to be a proper county purpose for all counties having a population of not less than 105,000 inhabitants nor more than 200,000 inhabitants according to the last preceding Federal census to levy, assess and collect a tax of not more than one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) of a mill on the dollar on all taxable property except intangible property within such counties, for use in economic planning and pursuits and other objects and purposes as provided in the Act; providing for the levying, assessing or collecting such tax, providing how the fund derived from such tax shall be administered, distributed and expended; and for other purposes.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 690 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 690 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 690 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 690 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 690 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 690 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Sheldon—

Senate Bill No. 691:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the appointment by the Mayor, with the consent of the Board of Representatives, of all heads of departments, and bureaus, and members of all Administrative Boards of the City of Tampa; providing the method by which such officers may be removed for cause; requiring such officers to submit quarterly statements of receipts and disbursements; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 691 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 691 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 691 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 691 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 691 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 691 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 691 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Sheldon—

Senate Bill No. 692:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, may create a post-war construction fund; prescribing the public purposes for which such fund shall be used; providing the methods for raising revenue to be credited to such fund; prescribing the time and manner when such fund shall be used.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 692 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 692 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 692 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 692 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 692 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 692 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 692 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Sheldon—

Senate Bill No. 693:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the cancellation of all penalties, interests and costs levied and assessed and imposed upon any real estate situated within the limits of the Southwest Tampa Drainage District, also known as the Interbay Drainage District for drainage assessments in Hillsborough County, Florida, prescribing certain duties in connection therewith of the supervisors of such district and their

successors in office and prescribing the conditions by which such penalties, interests and costs shall be cancelled.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 693 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 693 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 693 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 693 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 693 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 693 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 693 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Sheldon—

Senate Bill No. 694:

A bill to be entitled An Act abolishing all fees paid to officers or employees of the City of Tampa for their compensation; repealing all provisions of the City Charter and local laws in conflict therewith; and superseding all provisions of any general laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 694 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

By Senator Upchurch—

Senate Bill No. 695:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for cancellation of State and county taxes and tax sale certificates against certain lands in Flagler County, Florida, used by town of Flagler Beach, Florida, for airport purposes and to exempt said airport property from future assessments and taxes by State and county.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Upchurch moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 695 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 695 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Upchurch moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 695 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 695 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 695 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—33.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 695 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Sheldon—

Senate Bill No. 696:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require payment into the General Fund of all fines, forfeitures, fees, commissions, penalties and all other monies received by officers, departments and boards of the City of Tampa for and on account of the City of Tampa; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act:

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 696 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

By Senator Beacham—

Senate Bill No. 697:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend certain sections of Chapter 16759, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, relating to the West Palm Beach Pension and Relief Fund, entitled: "An Act to create and establish a Taxing District to be known as the District of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of the former City of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida, so far as the same apply to the subject matter of this Act and the official Acts thereunder and to adopt the same as the ordinances of the Taxing District of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida; to prescribe the time within which suits can be brought against the said District and for notice thereof; to fix and provide the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of the said District and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers and to provide for a referendum."

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 697 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 697 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 697 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 697 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 697 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 697 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 697 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By the Shands Committee pursuant to Senate Resolution No. 2—

Senate Bill No. 698:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing additional duties for the Attorney General of the State of Florida and regulating the employment of attorneys by State officers, Constitutional or Statutory State agencies, boards, commissions, departments or bureaus of the State of Florida, and prescribing penalties for the violation of this Act.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 698 be read the second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 698 was read the second time in full.

Senator Sheldon offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 698:

In Section 2, line 14, (typewritten bill), strike out the words: "three-fifths" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "majority".

Senator Sheldon moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to so the amendment failed of adoption.

Senator Brewton offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 698:

In Section 2, line 6, (typewritten bill), strike out the the words: "but not on a contingent basis".

Senator Brewton moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to so the amendment failed of adoption.

Senator Brewton also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 698:

In Section 2, line 11, (typewritten bill), after the word "attorney" insert the following: "or the advisability of a contingent fee arrangement".

Senator Brewton moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to so the amendment failed of adoption.

Senator Franklin offered the following amendment, to Senate Bill No. 698:

In Section 2, line 6, (typewritten bill), after the words: "on a salary" insert the word: "and".

Senator Franklin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 698, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 698, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 698, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—31.

Nays—Senator Brewton—1.

So Senate Bill No. 698 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

By the Committee on Judiciary "B"—

Senate Bill No. 699:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Governor, for the duration of the present war, to transfer from unallocated funds credited to the State Road Department to the Old Age Assistance Fund.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, without reference.

By Senator Sheldon—

Senate Bill No. 700:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating a purchasing department for the City of Tampa; providing for the appointment of a purchasing agent; prescribing his powers and duties and the manner in which purchases and contracts for purchasing of supplies or printing shall be made; providing that violation of the Act shall constitute cause for removal of the purchasing agent; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 700 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 700 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 700 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 700 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 700 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 700 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 700 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Adams—

Senate Bill No. 701:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing the Board of County Commissioners of Gulf County, Florida, to call and hold an election for the approval or rejection of a proposed plan or plans to re-district County Commissioners Districts of said county, upon the filing of a petition signed by a majority of the qualified electors of said county accompanied by a plan for re-districting the County Commissioners Districts of said county; providing for alternate plans for such re-districting; authorizing the changing of numbers and boundaries of Election and Registration Districts to conform to new County Commissioners Districts; the recording of such new Commission, Election and Registration Districts; and certifying the same to the Secretary of State of the State of Florida.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 701 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 701 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 701 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 701 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 701 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 701 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 701 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida.
May 27, 1943.

Hon Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed with amendment:

By Senator Beacham—

Senate Bill No. 218:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the protection

of hotels, apartment houses, tourist camps, motor courts, restaurants, rooming houses and trailer courts, and for the ejection therefrom of persons or guests who are intoxicated, or immoral, or profane, or lewd, or brawling, or quarrelsome or who shall indulge in language or conduct either such as to disturb the peace and comfort of other hotel, apartment house, tourist camp, motor court, restaurant, rooming house or trailer court guests or such as to be injurious to the reputation, dignity or standing of any hotel, apartment house, tourist camp, motor court, restaurant, rooming house or trailer court, or who, in the opinion of the management is a person whom it would be detrimental to such hotel, apartment house, tourist camp, motor court, restaurant, rooming house or trailer court for it any longer to entertain, and to provide for oral and written requests to depart from such hotel, apartment house, tourist camp, motor court, restaurant, rooming house or trailer court and to make it illegal and a misdemeanor for any such guest to remain on the hotel, apartment house, tourist camp, motor court, restaurant, rooming house or trailer court premises after being requested to depart and to provide rights and remedies in such cases.

Which amendment reads as follows:

Strike out the words "or quarrelsome" wherever they appear.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 218, contained in the above Message, was read by title, together with the House Amendment thereto.

Senator Beacham moved that the Senate do concur in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 218.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 218.

And Senate Bill No. 218, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 27, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed with amendment:

Senate Bill No. 617:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 112.06, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to traveling expenses of State Officers and Employees when traveling on State business.

Which amendment reads as follows:

Insert at the end of Section 1, the following:

Section 1-A: The provisions of this bill shall expire after June 30, 1945.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 617, contained in the above Message, was read by title, together with the House Amendment thereto.

Senator Franklin moved that the Senate do concur in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 617.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 617.

And Senate Bill No. 617, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 27, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with amendments:

By Senator Baker—

Senate Bill No. 169:

A bill to be entitled An Act appropriating certain unexpended funds to State Welfare Fund to be used for administrative purposes.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 1, line 11, of the bill, strike out the words following the word "used" to the end of the section, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "respectively for Old Age Assistance payments, assistance payments to the needy blind, and assistance payments for aid to dependent children."

Amendment No. 2:

In Title of the bill, strike out the words "for administrative purposes" at the end of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "for old age assistance payments, assistance payments to the needy blind, and assistance payments for aid to dependent children."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 169, contained in the above Message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto:

Senator Baker moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 169.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 169.

Senator Baker moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 169.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 169.

And Senate Bill No. 169, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all Members elected to the House of Representatives for the 1943 Session of the Florida Legislature—

By Senator Baker—

Senate Bill No. 311:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Pearl L. Cullen, individually and as Tax Collector of Lake County, Florida.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 311, contained in the above Message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Senator Collins—

Senate Bill No. 42:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 382.21, Florida Statutes, 1941, new or amended certificate of birth, to provide for birth certificates for adopted foundlings.

By Senator Franklin—

Senate Bill No. 148:

A bill to be entitled An Act permitting the adjudication of tax liens of equal dignity in suits in the nature of proceedings in rem for the foreclosure of municipal tax and special assessment liens authorized by Chapter 173, Florida Statutes, 1941; authorizing owners, holders or assignees of tax liens of equal or inferior dignity with those being foreclosed on or against the lands being proceeded against to be made parties defendant in such proceedings for the purpose of adjudicating and satisfying such tax liens, and providing for the method of obtaining jurisdiction of such parties defendant.

By Senator Upchurch—

Senate Bill No. 304:

A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting certain contracts, agreements, relationships and practices between insurers, doing sick and funeral insurance business, and funeral directors and undertakers, prescribing penalties for violations of this Act, and repealing all laws in conflict.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 42, 148 and 304, contained in the above Message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Senator Mathews—

Senate Bill No. 73:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing the rights, duties and liabilities of sheriffs in levying writs, authorizing them to require bonds in certain cases, and providing the procedure to determine whether property is subject to the writ and the effect of such determination.

By the Committee on Welfare—

Senate Bill No. 384:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for payment of accrued public assistance on death of person entitled thereto; imposing certain powers and duties upon State Welfare Board, County Judge, and State Comptroller, with reference thereto; and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

By Senator Maines—

Senate Bill No. 393:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund to convey title to certain land in Union County, Florida, to C. H. Hunter, W. K. Jenkins and A. L. Crews, as Trustees of the Raiford Missionary Baptist Church.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 73, 384 and 393, contained in the above Message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Senator Perdue—

Senate Bill No. 477:

A bill to be entitled An Act to transfer all monies in the Motor Vehicle Refund Fund to the County School Fund and the Auto Theft Expense Fund.

By Senator Perdue—

Senate Bill No. 476:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that the Governor of the State of Florida may, by proclamation, declare an emergency to exist, and direct motor vehicle license plates to be manufactured from a substitute material, or that a substitute be used in lieu of the license plate as now provided by law.

By Senator Perdue—

Senate Bill No. 475:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 320.35 of Florida Statutes, 1941, providing that motor vehicle license plates shall be displayed on all motor vehicles operated upon or over the highways of this State.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 477, 476 and 475, contained in the above Message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Senator King—

Senate Bill No. 227:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 568.10, Florida Statutes, 1941, to provide for the sale of confiscated liquors by the Sheriff of any county.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 227, contained in the above Message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with amendment:

By the Committee on Education—

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 61:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 231.50 Florida Statutes, 1941, relative to the monthly allowance allowed public school teachers after thirty-five or more years of teaching, by extending the provisions of said section to those who have served an aggregate period of thirty-five or more years as teacher, and/or County Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, line 15, of the bill, strike out the period at the end of the sentence and insert the following in lieu thereof: "; and provided, however, that no person who has ever been eligible to become a member of the Teachers' Retirement

system of the State of Florida shall be entitled to receive such allowance."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 61, contained in the above Message, was read by title, together with the House Amendment thereto.

Senator Shuler moved that the Senate do concur in the House Amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 61.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House Amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 61.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 61, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with amendments:

By the Committee on Judiciary "B"—

Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 94:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Judge's Court to issue delayed birth certificates; providing for a cumulative method for obtaining delayed birth certificates upon petition and order in the County Judge's Court, authorizing the County Judge's Court to order and certify the date of birth, place of birth and parentage, or any of such facts of any resident of the State of Florida, providing for the filing of a copy of such certificates with the Bureau of Vital Statistics, State Board of Health, requiring said Bureau to furnish necessary blanks and authorizing certified copies thereof, providing the effect of such order, and for the appeals from the same.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 8, line 3, of the bill, strike out the words: "of which fifty (\$0.50) cents shall be sent to the Bureau of Vital Statistics with its copy of said order.

and insert the following in lieu thereof: period (.)

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 1, line 2, of the bill, strike out the words: "the record of whose birth has not been previously established in Florida."

Amendment No. 3:

In Section 4, line 2, of the bill, after the words: "parent or guardian" add the words: "or by someone who knows such facts".

Amendment No. 4:

Number the sections of the bill consecutively.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 94, contained in the above Message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator Baker moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 94.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 94.

Senator Baker moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 94.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 94.

Senator Baker moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 94.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 94.

Senator Baker moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 94.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 94.

And Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 94, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Mr. Carlton of Duval—

House Bill No. 391:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating the Florida Crime Commission to study the amount, type, cause, and source of crime and delinquency in this State and to study methods and means for reducing and preventing the same; providing for the membership of said commission to be composed partly of ex-officio members and partly of members appointed by the Governor representing certain representative groups of citizens, all to serve without compensation; providing for the purpose, duties, procedure, and operation of said commission; providing for all other purposes reasonably incidental, and providing for the repeal of all laws in conflict herewith.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 391, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "A."

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 27, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By the Committee on Labor—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 669:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the office of State Labor Inspector and repeal Section 450.15, Florida Statutes, 1941, and Section 18, Chapter 20955, Acts of 1941, and transferring the powers, duties and responsibilities of said office to the Florida Industrial Commission; and to amend Sections 450.01, 450.02, 450.03, 450.04, 450.07, 450.08, 450.12, 450.14, 450.16 and 450.17, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18 and 19 respectively, of Chapter 20955, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, and to amend Section 6, Chapter 6488, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1913, as amended by Section 6, Chapter 20955, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, (§450.22 Florida Statutes, 1941); and to amend

Section 10, Chapter 6488, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1913 as amended by Chapter 6918, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, as amended by Section 8, Chapter 20955, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941 (§450.23 Florida Statutes, 1941); and to repeal Section 5, Chapter 6488, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1913, as amended by Section 5, Chapter 20955, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941 (§450.21 Florida Statutes, 1941); relating to employment of minor children in the State of Florida.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
WALTER P. FULLER,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 669, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "B."

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 27, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By the Committee on General Appropriations—
House Bill No. 913:

A bill to be entitled An Act establishing certain fund accounts to be maintained in the State Treasury, providing for the transfer of unexpended balances of certain special funds to the general revenue fund, providing procedure for and regulating the disbursement of appropriations from State funds, providing for the reduction and adjustment of the budget when collection of revenue is insufficient to meet appropriations, prescribing penalty and liability for the violation thereof and repealing and suspending certain appropriations.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
WALTER P. FULLER,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 913, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 27, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Mr. Martin of Hillsborough—
House Bill No. 601:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Drainage District existing under the General Laws of the State of Florida, now Chapter 298, Florida Statutes, 1941; providing for readjustment of assessment of benefits, payment of such benefits and discharge of liens, and containing other provisions.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
WALTER P. FULLER,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 601, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 27, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Mr. Rivers of Clay—
House Bill No. 852:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 80 and 84 of Chapter 21,262, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1941, being the charter of the City of Green Cove Springs, Florida, by providing a method and procedure for the enforcement of the collection of taxes on real estate in the City of Green Cove Springs, Florida; authorizing said city to advertise and sell all real estate within the corporate limits of said city upon which taxes are delinquent; to issue tax sale and to purchase in the name of the city all property not purchased at such sale by other persons; providing for redemption, sale and assignment of tax sale certificates and authorizing said city to issue tax deeds based upon tax sale certificates issued, assigned or sold by said city; providing for the interest rate on tax sale certificates and unpaid taxes; providing for the foreclosure of such tax sale certificates and the issuance of deeds to the purchasers; providing for the preservation of the city's tax lien; and repealing all Acts in conflict herewith.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
WALTER P. FULLER,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 852, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Mr. McDonald of Hillsborough—
House Bill No. 836:

A bill to be entitled An Act to cancel and discharge all tax sales certificates and tax liens for State and county taxes now outstanding and unpaid on the following described real estate in Hillsborough County, Florida; all of Blocks 3, 4, 9, 10, 15, 16, 21, and 22 of West Shore Estate Sub-division, as per plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 17, page 43 of the Public Records of Hillsborough County, Florida.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Stewart of Lee—
House Bill No. 879:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the salary and compensation of the Probation Officer of Lee County, Florida, and providing that Section 41.12, Florida Statutes of 1941, shall not apply to said Probation Officer.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Scofield of Citrus—
House Bill No. 947:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 17512, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of A. D. 1935, same being: "An Act to provide for an open and closed season in which it shall be unlawful to take and kill certain wild game birds and wild game animals in Citrus County, Florida, and to provide a penalty for the violation of this Act."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
WALTER P. FULLER,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 836, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 836 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 836 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 836 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 836 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 836 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 836 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 879, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 879 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 879 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 879 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 879 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 879 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 879 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 947, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 947 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 947 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 947 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 947 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 947 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 947 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Mr. Rivers of Clay—

House Bill No. 972:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 55 and 56

of Chapter 10741, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1925, being the Charter of the Town of Keystone Heights, by providing a method and procedure for the enforcement of the collection of taxes on real estate in the Town of Keystone Heights, in Clay County, Florida; authorizing said Town to advertise and sell all real estate within the corporate limits of said Town upon which taxes are delinquent; to issue tax sale certificates to purchasers at such sale and to purchase in the name of the town all property not purchased at such sale by other persons; providing for redemption, sale and assignment of tax sale certificates issued, assigned or sold by said Town; providing for the interest rate on tax sale certificates and unpaid taxes; providing for the foreclosure of such tax sale certificates and the issuance of deeds to the purchasers; providing for the preservation of the Town's tax lien; and repealing all Acts in conflict herewith.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Messrs. Parker and Yaeger of Leon—

House Bill No. 976:

A bill to be entitled An Act to supplement the salary of each Circuit Judge of the State of Florida residing in and a citizen of a county having a population of more than 31,600 inhabitants and in which there is an incorporated city or town with a population of more than 16,200 inhabitants and whose circuit is composed of six counties, and in which said resident county there is neither established a Criminal Court of Record, a Court of Record, a County Court, a Civil Court of Record, nor a Court of Crimes, and in which said resident county three regular terms of said court are designated by law to be held each year, and authorizing said counties to make such supplementation and making the same a county purpose.

By Mr. Clark of Calhoun—

House Bill No. 988:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing all counties of the State of Florida, having a population of not less than 8,000 and not more than 8,500, according to the last preceding Federal census, to levy a tax for the establishment of a county public health unit.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 972, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 972 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 972 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 972 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 972 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 972 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 972 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 976, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

And House Bill No. 988, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 988 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 988 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 988 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 988 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 988 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 988 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

*Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.
Sir:*

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Mr. Carlton of St. Lucie—

House Bill No. 990:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Fort Pierce, in the County of St. Lucie, Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known as City of Fort Pierce, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges,

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Nesmith of Wakulla—

House Bill No. 994:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the annual salary of the Tax Assessor and Tax Collector for all counties having a population of not less than 5,400 or more than 5,500, according to the last Federal census, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

By Mr. Lane of Manatee—

House Bill No. 995:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the consolidation of the City of Bradenton and the City of Manatee, in the County of Manatee, State of Florida, by abolishing the present municipal government of said cities, and incorporating the City of Bradenton, in the County of Manatee, State of Florida, providing for its government and prescribing its jurisdiction and powers, and providing for a referendum.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 990, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 990 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 990 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 990 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 990 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 990 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder,

Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 990 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 994, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shuler moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 994 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 994 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shuler moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 994 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 994 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 994 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 994 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 995, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Barringer moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 995 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 995 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Barringer moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 995 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 995 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 995 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 995 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up and consider House Bill No. 946, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

House Bill No. 946:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 1 of Chapter 21593, Special Acts of Florida, 1941, entitled "An Act authorizing the City of Tampa, Florida, to enlarge, improve and extend the waterworks system of said city within and without the corporate limits of said city; authorizing said city to enter into contracts for the sale of water from said waterworks system to public and private consumers within and without the corporate limits of said city including contracts with any agency or department of the Federal Government for supplying the military and other needs of any such agency or department for water; conferring powers and imposing duties on the governing body of said city in relation to the waterworks system; authorizing the issuance of negotiable water revenue bonds of said city, payable solely from

earnings, to pay the cost of any such enlargement, extension or improvement to said waterworks system; providing for the fixing and charging of rates for water furnished by said waterworks system, and providing for the disposition of the income from said waterworks system; providing for the rights and remedies of the holders of such water revenue bonds; providing that no debt of the city shall be incurred in the exercise of any of the powers granted by this Act, and denying the power of taxation in any respect for the payment of such water revenue bonds or the interest thereon; granting the right of eminent domain to the City; and authorizing the issuance of water revenue refunding bonds;" by removing the limitation upon the aggregate principal amount of water revenue bonds which may be issued under said Act.

Was taken up.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 946 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 946 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sheldon offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 946:

In Section 1(b), line 3, (typewritten bill), strike out the word: "and" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "provided however, that the aggregate principal amount of such water revenue bonds which may be issued under the provisions of this Act shall not exceed one million eight hundred thousand (\$1,800,000.00) dollars; and".

Senator Sheldon moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Sheldon also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 946:

In Section 1 (c), line 2, (typewritten bill), by adding thereto the following words, after the word "system": "provided however, that the prevailing water rates maintained by said City of Tampa shall not be increased unless and until the Board of Representatives of the City of Tampa shall by ordinance provide for the submission of any proposed increase in rates to the voters of the City of Tampa and at such election, the proposal to increase such water rates shall receive a majority vote of such voters."

Senator Sheldon moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 946, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 946, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 946, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 946 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Maines moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 678 passed the Senate on May 27, 1943.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Senate reconsidered the vote by which Senate Bill No. 678 passed the Senate on May 27, 1943.

Pending roll call on the passage of Senate Bill No. 678, Senator Maines moved that the further consideration thereof be informally passed.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Collins moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 106 failed to pass the Senate on May 27, 1943.

And the motion went over under the rule.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Mr. West of Santa Rosa—

House Bill No. 998:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating the elective office of County Attorney in and for Santa Rosa County, Florida, fixing the term of said office and the method of filling same, prescribing the duties of said County Attorney and fixing and prescribing his fees and salary therefor.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Hendry of Okeechobee—

House Bill No. 1000—

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the distribution of all moneys accruing and allocated to Okeechobee County, Florida, under Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, or any Act amendatory or supplemental thereto, or any other race track acts; authorizing and directing the payment of two-thirds of such funds to the Board of County Commissioners and one-third thereof to the Board of Public Instruction, of Okeechobee County, Florida; providing the manner in which said funds to be paid to the Board of Public Instruction of Okeechobee County, Florida, shall be expended; repealing all Acts in conflict herewith and providing when this Act shall be effective.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 998, contained in the above Message was read the first time by title only.

Senator Maddox moved that House Bill No. 998 be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to and House Bill No. 998 was indefinitely postponed.

And House Bill No. 1000, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1000 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1000 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1000 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1000 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1000 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1000 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Mr. McMullen of Hillsborough—

House Bill No. 958:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Tampa, Florida, to construct, and to improve, extend, enlarge, reconstruct, maintain, equip, repair and operate a sewage disposal system or systems, either within or without or partly within and partly without the territorial boundaries of the city, and to construct other sewer improvements within the city; prescribing the powers and duties of the Board of Representatives of said city in connection with such construction and the financing thereof; providing for the issuance of revenue bonds of the city, payable solely from revenues, to pay all or a part of the cost of such construction without incurring any debt of the city; providing for the execution of a trust agreement to secure the payment of such revenue bonds without mortgaging or encumbering any such system; providing for the imposition and collection of rates, fees and charges for the services and facilities furnished by any such sewage disposal system, and for the application of such revenues; authorizing the pledge of surplus water revenues; and exempting all such revenue bonds and the sewer system of the city, including any such sewage disposal system, from taxation.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Messrs. Clement, Harris and Miss Baker of Pinellas, and McDonald, Martin, McMullen of Hillsborough—

House Bill No. 971:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing any two or more counties in the State of Florida to enter into a joint program for the construction of a bridge or bridges, together with causeways and approaches thereto, connecting such counties with each other over any body of water; and permitting the participation of such counties in such a program with the Federal Government or any agency thereof and the State Road Department of the State of Florida or any agency of such State and authorizing such State Road Department to assist financially and otherwise in the construction of such a bridge program and setting forth the procedure for such a program.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 958 and 971, contained in the above Message, were read the first time by titles only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Mr. Rivers of Clay—

House Bill No. 1001:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the amount which shall be paid to all Clerks and Inspectors of Elections for their services in counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than 6,460 and not more than 6,475, according to the Federal census of 1940.

By Mr. Hardin of Polk—

House Bill No. 1002:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 3, 4 and 11 of Chapter 19930, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939 Legislature, entitled: "An Act relating to the municipal government of the City of Lakeland, Florida, and providing for the establishment of a Civil Service Board in said city, and that such Board shall have authority to employ and discharge certain employees of said city; establishing Civil Service of certain employees of said city other than elective officers; providing for the appointment and election of members of said Civil Service Board and setting forth the qualifications for members thereof, and providing for their removal and choice of their successors, and providing for the compensation and seniority of employees, and the right of discharged employees to appeal to said board; and granting to said board the authority to determine the qualifications necessary to be possessed by em-

ployees of said city and providing for competitive examinations for applicants for positions with said city; and providing for seniority rights of employees of said city upon their discharge because of excessive number of employees, and granting unto said board the power to adopt and enforce rules and regulations for the administration of said Act and to carry out the policy, purpose and effect thereof;" providing for appointment of members and establishing the Civil Service of certain employees of the said City of Lakeland.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1001, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1001 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1001 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1001 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1001 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1001 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1001 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1002, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1002 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1002 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1002 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1002 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1002 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1002 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Mr. Hardin of Polk—

House Bill No. 1003:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 6 and 7 of

Chapter 19930, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, the same being "An Act relating to the municipal government of the City of Lakeland, Florida, and providing for the establishment of a Civil Service Board in said city and that such Board shall have authority to employ and discharge certain employees of said city; establishing Civil Service of certain employees of said city other than elective officers; providing for the appointment and election of members of said Civil Service Board and setting forth the qualifications for members thereof, and providing for their removal and the choice of their successors, and providing for the compensation and seniority of employees, and the right of discharged employees to appeal to said Board; and granting to said Board the authority to determine the qualifications necessary to be possessed by employees of said city, and providing for competitive examinations for applicants for positions with said city; and providing for seniority rights of employees of said city upon their discharge because of excessive numbers of employees, and granting unto said Board the power to adopt and enforce rules and regulations for the administration of said Act and to carry out the policy, purpose and effect thereof"; providing that the members of the Civil Service Board shall serve without pay; providing for the employment of a secretary, personnel director, and other clerical help for the purposes of carrying out the duties of said Board and limiting the sums of money that said Board may expend.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Rivers of Clay—

House Bill No. 1004:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the salaries of the members of the Boards of County Commissioners in counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than 6,460 and not more than 6,475, according to the Federal census of 1940.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1003, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1003 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1003 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1003 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1003 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1003 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1003 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1004, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1004 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1004 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1004 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1004 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1004 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer,

Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1004 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Mr. Carlton of Duval—

House Bill No. 1005:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of J. B. Durham and D. C. Pickett on account of personal injuries received by them due to a defective bridge located on the old Sunbeam Road in Duval County; requiring the Board of County Commissioners of Duval County to investigate such claims and to settle the same by payment out of designated funds in such an amount as they may determine, not to exceed \$700.00.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Carlton of St. Lucie—

House Bill No. 1006:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Clerk of the Circuit Court of St. Lucie County, Florida, to cancel certain tax certificates owned by the State of Florida on certain lands located in St. Lucie County, Florida, adjacent to the Fort Pierce Cemetery which lands have been acquired by Fort Pierce Cemetery Association as an addition to the Fort Pierce Cemetery.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Carlton of St. Lucie—

House Bill No. 1007:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Clerk of the Circuit Court of St. Lucie County, Florida, to cancel certain tax certificates owned by the State of Florida, and certain tax certificates owned by St. Lucie County, Florida, on certain lands located in St. Lucie County, Florida, and owned and used by St. Lucie County, Florida, as a public county airport.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1005, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Mathews moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1005 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1005 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Mathews moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1005 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1005 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1005 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1005 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1006, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1006 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1006 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1006 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1006 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1006 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1006 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1007, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1007 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1007 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1007 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1007 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1007 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1007 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida.

May 28, 1943

Hon. Philip D. Beall,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Mr. Carlton of St. Lucie—

House Bill No. 1008:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Clerk of the Circuit Court of St. Lucie County, Florida, to cancel certain tax certificates owned by the State of Florida, and certain tax certificates owned by St. Lucie County, Florida, on certain lands located in St. Lucie County, Florida, adjacent to the Court House property in Fort Pierce, Florida, and which lands have been acquired by St. Lucie County, Florida, as an addition to the Court House property.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Messrs. Bailey and Holland of Bay—

House Bill No. 1009:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide the basis for the payment of salaries to the County Superintendents of Public Instruction in all counties within the State of Florida having a population from not less than twenty thousand, one hundred (20,100) to not more than twenty-two thousand, one hundred

(22,100), according to the Federal population census for the year of 1940, and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith.

By Mr. Crofton of Brevard—

House Bill No. 1010:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 21063, Laws of Florida, 1941, relating to Cocoa-Rockledge Drainage District in Brevard County, Florida.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1008, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1008 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1008 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1008 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1008 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1008 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1008 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1009, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1009 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1009 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1009 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1009 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1009 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1009 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1010, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Messrs. Leaird and Burwell of Broward—

House Bill No. 1012:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering

the City of Hollywood, Florida, to establish, appropriate, invest and maintain post-war public works reserve funds; to formulate and develop schedules for long-range, post-war programs of public works projects, and to make plans and surveys therefor; providing for a referendum.

By Mr. Wiseheart of Dade—
House Bill No. 1013:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm all Acts and proceedings relative to the calling, holding, conducting and canvassing the returns of an election held in the Town of Surfside in Dade County, Florida, on May 14, 1940, on the question of borrowing money by said town to erect a town hall and issuing notes therefor, and to validate said notes.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Carlton of Duval—
House Bill No. 1014:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the office of the City Attorney of the City of Jacksonville, his term of office, his compensation and other matters in connection therewith.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1012, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1012 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1012 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1012 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1012 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1012 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1012 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1013, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Public Utilities.

And House Bill No. 1014, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Mathews moved that House Bill No. 1014 be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to and House Bill No. 1014 was indefinitely postponed.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 28, 1943.

Hon. Philip D. Beall,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

By Mr. Crary of Martin—
House Bill No. 1015:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the Board of Supervisors of Palm City Drainage District in Martin County, Florida, and to place the duties and the administration of the affairs of said district upon the Board of County Commissioners of Martin County, Florida; providing that the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Martin County shall be the Secretary and Treasurer of said District; prescribing additional rights, powers and duties of the proposed new officials of said District and prescribing that such Act shall take effect on January 1st, 1944.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

WALTER P. FULLER,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1015, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1015 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1015 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1015 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1015 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1015 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Baker, Barringer, Beacham, Black, Brewton, Carroll, Clarke, Cliett, Coleman, Collins, Davis, Franklin, Graham, Griner, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Mathews, McArthur, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Sheldon, Shuler, Sturgis, Taylor, Upchurch, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1015 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up and consider House Joint Resolution No. 523, out of its order, at this time.

Pending adoption of the motion made by Senator Sturgis, Senator Collins moved as a substitute motion that the rules be waived and House Joint Resolution No. 523, be made a Special and Continuing Order of Business for consideration by the Senate when the Orders of the Day are reached in the order of procedure on Tuesday, June 1, 1943.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and it was so ordered:

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 346 be made a Special and Continuing Order of Business for consideration by the Senate immediately following consideration by the Senate of House Joint Resolution No. 523, on Tuesday, June 1, 1943.

Pending adoption of the motion made by Senator Franklin, Senator Maines moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate stood adjourned at 12:53 o'clock P. M., until 3:00 o'clock P. M., Monday, May 31, 1943.